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**UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL**  
(Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b))

Docket No. : 45354/DBP/T360  
Inventor(s) : Yukio Horiuchi, and Shu Yamamoto  
Title : OPTICAL DATA TRANSMISSION METHOD AND ITS SYSTEM,  
OPTICAL TRANSMITTER AND ITS METHOD, AND OPTICAL  
SWITCHER  
Express Mail Label No. : EL791137257US

ADDRESS TO: Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
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Washington, D.C. 20231

Date: June 19, 2001

1. ☒ **FEE TRANSMITTAL FORM** (Submit an original, and a duplicate for fee processing).

2. **IF A CONTINUING APPLICATION**

\_\_\_ This application is a \_\_\_ of patent application No. .

Prior application information: Examiner ; Group Art Unit:

\_\_\_ This application claims priority pursuant to 35 U.S.C. §119(e) and 37 CFR §1.78(a)(4),  
to provisional Application No. .

3. **APPLICATION COMPRISED OF**

**Specification**

16 Specification, claims and Abstract (total pages)

**Drawings**

4 Sheets of formal drawing(s) (FIGS. 1 to 5)

**Declaration and Power of Attorney**

☒ Newly executed

\_\_\_ Unexecuted declaration

\_\_\_ Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d))(for continuation and divisional)

4. \_\_\_ **Microfiche Computer Program** (Appendix)

5. \_\_\_ **Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission** (if applicable, all necessary)

\_\_\_ Computer Readable Copy

\_\_\_ Paper Copy (identical to computer copy)

\_\_\_ Statement verifying identity of above copies

6. **APPLICANT(S) STATUS UNDER 37 CFR § 1.27**

\_\_\_ Applicant(s) and any others associated with it/them under § 1.27(a) are a SMALL  
ENTITY

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**FEE DETERMINATION**

CLAIMS AS FILED					
	NUMBER FILED	NUMBER EXTRA	SMALL ENTITY RATE	LARGE ENTITY RATE	FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	10 - 20	0	x \$9.00	0 x \$18.00	\$0.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	5 - 3	2	x \$40.00	2 x \$80.00	\$160.00
MULTIPLE-DEPENDENT CLAIMS FEE			\$135.00	\$270.00	\$0.00
BASIC FEE			\$355.00	\$710.00	\$710.00
TOTAL FILING FEE					\$870.00
List Independent Claims: 1, 3, 5, 7, and 9					

**METHOD OF PAYMENT**

- ☒ Payment Enclosed: Check for \$870.00
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required during the **entire pendency** of the application to Deposit Account No. 03-1728. Please show our docket number with any charge or credit to our Deposit Account. **A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.**

Respectfully submitted,

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